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INTERVIEW SUMMARY

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Christian Nicholes (3) \_\_\_\_\_  
(2) Motilewa Good-Johnson (4) \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Interview 9/23/2003

Type: ☒ Telephonic ☐ Televideo Conference ☐ Personal (copy is given to ☐ applicant ☐ applicant's representative).

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: ☐ Yes ☒ No If yes, brief description: \_\_\_\_\_

Agreement ☐ was reached. ☒ was not reached.

Claim(s) discussed: 26 & 31

Identification of prior art discussed: Stam, "Aperiodic Texture Mapping", ERCIM

Description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments:

Applicant argues that Stam does not disclose placement of aperiodic tiles by a user.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments, if available, which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments which would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview.

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Motilewa Good-Johnson